# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# DEFENCE
# LOK SABHA

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LEASE OF DEFENCE LAND FOR SOCIAL PURPOSE
Kachhadia Shri Naranbhai

**Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government have received any proposal from State Governments and Social Organisations seeking defence land on long term lease for social purposes;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State / UT-wise and the number of proposals pending and the action taken by the Government thereon;

(c) the total area of defence land given on long term lease to the States / Social Organi- sations during the last three years, State / UT-wise; and

(d) the details of steps taken / proposed to be taken to ensure transparency for the purpose?

## Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

(a) to (d): As per available information, 10 proposals pertaining to 5 states, seeking De- fence land for social purposes are at hand. No Defence land has, however, been given to any social organization or state government for any social purpose in the last three years.